PROJECT NAME: Police Technology

RECIPIENT: City of Taylorsville

LOCATION: Taylorsville, Utah

PURPOSE:

The requested funds under this project will serve two purposes: increased efficiencies and data/crime analysis. Taylorsville is a city of roughly 61,000 people and is served by a police force of 54 personnel, who respond to over 38,000 calls per year, making an effective crime rate of 38/1,000. Furthermore, all city departments are currently experiencing budget freezes and cutbacks. Funds will be used to purchase: 1) crime analysis software to more accurately analyze trends, locations, and activities; 2) E-Ticketing technology to more accurately capture and identify drivers license data; 3) an Automatic Vehicle Location (AVL) providing real-time location and status information on police vehicles; and 4) an automated time-management system to more effectively manage personnel and their varied duties, which include dispatched patrol, drug enforcement, accident response and training. Collectively, these programs will greatly improve the Taylorsville Police Department's efficiency and improve public safety.

AMOUNT: $500,000